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PATENT APPLICATION
Attorney Docket No. DN37998XEA

IN THE UNITED STATES
PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Ronald L. Mahany et al.

Application No.: 09/129,448

Examiner: Toan D. Nguyen

Filing Date: 08/04/1998

Art Unit: 2665

TITLE: HIERARCHICAL COMMUNICATION SYSTEM PROVIDING
INTELLIGENT DATA, PROGRAM AND PROCESSING MIGRATION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

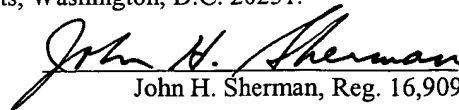
PETITION FOR A THREE-MONTH EXTENSION
OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.R.F. 1.136(a)

Applicant hereby requests an extension of time of three months for
response to the Official Action dated 03/14/2002. The grant of this petition will
extend the time for response from 06/14/2002 to 09/16/2002, 09/14/2002 being a
Saturday.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that, on the date below, this PETITION FOR A
THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME, consisting of two pages, is
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John H. Sherman, Reg. 16,909

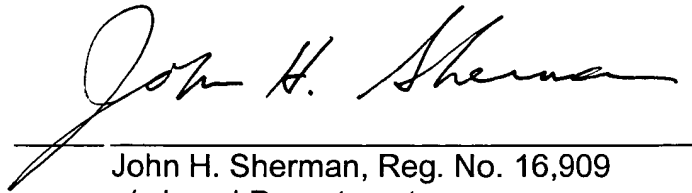
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Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17, please charge the extension fee of \$920 to Deposit Account No. 14-1190. Please charge any underpayments related to this petition for extension of time or credit any excess to Deposit Account No. 14-1190.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "John H. Sherman". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long, sweeping underline that extends to the left and then under the text below.

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